

Agricultural Marketing Service 1400 Independence Ave Washington, DC 20250-0256

Poultry Programs

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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 18, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-295

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Feb. 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Feb. 10. Deliveries are to be made from Mar. 16 to Mar. 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-295, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2005, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-295, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

<u>Bulk Pack (233390)</u> - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, non-basted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen fully cooked smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and nor more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295 INVITATION : 018

COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINA CITY	TION ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELI	VERY PERIOD	03/16/00	6 - 03/31/06	
001	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	720,000
002	WAELDER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
003	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000 *
004	WILLMAR	MN	TRUCK ONLY	72,000 *

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 864,000

COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/	 16/0	6 - 03/31/06	
005	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	LINCOLN	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
007	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
800	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
009	DANVILLE	VA	TRUCK ONLY	13,160
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	14,000
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	12,840
010	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
011	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
012	ATLANTA	GA		40,000
013	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	23,000
	LOUISVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	17,000
014	LEXINGTON	ΚY	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
015	SHEPHERDSVILLE	ΚY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
016	ROCK ISLAND	IL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
017	HARTFORD	MI		40,000
018	NEWPORT	MN		40,000
019	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	27,062
	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	12,938
020	GRAMBLING	LA	TRUCK ONLY	21,597
	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	18,403

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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/06 - 03/31/06					
021	AMARILLO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	15,120	
	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	24,880	
022	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
023	EARLY	TX	TRUCK ONLY	18,720	
	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	21,280	
024	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	120,000	
025	HOUSTON	TX		120,000	
026	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	11,200	
	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	28,800	
027	HOUSTON	TX		20,600	
	LUBBOCK	TX		19,400	
028	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	120,000	
029	LINCOLN	NE	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
	OMAHA	NE	TRUCK ONLY	4,000	
030	SIOUX FALLS	SD		40,000	
031	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	
032	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
033	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	
034	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
035	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	120,000	
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR	COMMO	DITY TYPE	1,640,000	

COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/	16/0	6 - 03/31/06	
036	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
037	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
038	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
039	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	7,500
	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	FAIRBURN	GA	TRUCK ONLY	2,500

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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/06 - 03/31/06					
040 041 042	ATLANTA COLLEGE PARK KENNESAW SHEPHERDSVILLE FAIRFIELD GRANDVIEW	GA GA GA KY OH IN		ONLY ONLY ONLY	20,000 10,000 10,000 40,000 20,000 10,000
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK	ONLY	10,000
043 044 045 046	ALCOA BERKELEY ROCK ISLAND BATON ROUGE HARAHAN HARAHAN	TN IL IL LA LA LA	TRUCK TRUCK TRUCK	ONLY ONLY ONLY	40,000 40,000 40,000 18,800 21,200 15,000
048 049	ST MARTINVILLE SAN ANTONIO CLEARFIELD	LA TX UT	TRUCK TRUCK	ONLY	25,000 80,000 40,000
050 051	PHOENIX FRESNO	AZ CA	TRUCK	ONLY	80,000 80,000
052 053	GARDENA LOS ANGELES	CA CA	TRUCK TRUCK		40,000
054 055	NATIONAL CITY POMONA SACRAMENTO	CA CA	TRUCK TRUCK TRUCK	ONLY	30,000 10,000 80,000
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR C	OMMC	DITY TY	PE.	1,040,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 3,544,000

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^{*}NO TOLERANCE - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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